Docket No.

0083-1131-0

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Hideki HIRATA

GAU:

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SERIAL NO: 09/531,449

EXAMINER: Ferguson

FILED:

March 20, 2000

FOR:

OPTICAL INFORMATION MEDIUM AND ITS FABRICATION PROCESS

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

It is hereby requested that a second-month extension of time be granted to November 6, 2002 for

filing a response to the Official Action dated:

responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:

illing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due

has been timely filed.

responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:

🛛 filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due

September 6, 2002

has been filed.

filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.

A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is attached.

The required fee of \$290.00 is enclosed herewith by check. A Request for a one month extension of time was previously filed and the requisite fee paid. Any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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